GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR&RD Department – Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District –Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charge – Orders - Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 301 **Dated: 25-03-2019**
Read the following:

1. From DG, ACB, Rc.No.70/RCT-EWG/2015, Dt.18.08.2017 & 27.02.2019
2. G.O.Rt.No.298, PR&RD (VIG.VI) Department, Dt.25.03.2019.

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I and II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure III and IV).

3. Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, is directed to submit a Written statement of his defence within 10 days of the receipt of this order.

4. Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He, should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex parte.

6. Attention of Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any

political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matter pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the order be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD)

To

Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Narsapur Sub Division, East Godavari District, now working as DEE, RWS&S, Tuni Sub Division, East Godavari District, **through** Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.

The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada (with a request to serve the charges to the individual and furnish a served copy to Government)

SF/SC.

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ANNEXURE – I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI CHINTA NAGA VENKATA KRISHNA REDDY S/O. RAMI REDDY, AGE 53 YEARS, DY. EXECUTIVE ENGINEERS RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION, NARASAPURAM SUB DIVISION, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY WORKING AS DY.EE., RWS&S, TUNI SUB-DIVISION, EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT.

That Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy S/o. Ramireddy, 53 years joined in Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department as Asst. Executive. Engineer on 23.02.1989 and worked at Rajahmundry, Kakinada, Srikakulam, Elamanchili, Narasapuram, Mogalturu and Kovvuru, later he was promoted as Deputy Executive Engineer on 14.02.2007 and worked at Narasapuram and presently working at Tuni. While he was working at Narasapuram Sub Division as Dy. Exe. Engineer RWS&S from 10.12.2007 to 23.08.2015, he committed grave misconduct in as much as:

CHARGE – I

That as an immediate superior officer he failed to supervise the performance of duties of Sri Soma Surya Venkata Rama Rao working under him as AEE and thus exhibited slack supervision.

Thus, Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy, Dy. Executive Engineer, while he was working in RWS&S Narasapuram Sub-Division, West Godavari District during the aforesaid period by his above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of, devotion to duty and conduct and slack supervision and thereby contravened Rule 3(1) & (5) of AP Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD)

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ANNEXURE – II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT IN SUPPORT OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI CHINTA NAGA VENKATA KRISHNA REDDY S/O. RAMIREDDY, AGE 53 YEARS, DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION, NARASAPURAM SUB DIVISION, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY WORKING AS DY.EE., RWS&S, TUNI SUB-DIVISION, EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT.

That Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy S/o. Ramireddy, 53 years joined in Rural Water Supply &Sanitation Department as Asst. Executive Engineer on 23.02.1989 and worked at Rajahmundry, Kakinada, Srikakulam, Elamanchili, Narasapuram, Mogalturu and Kovvuru, later he was promoted as Deputy Executive Engineer on 14.02.2007 and worked at Narasapuram and presently working at Tuni. While he was working at Narasapuram Sub Division as Dy. Exe Engineer RWS&S from 10.12.2007 to 23.08.2015, he committed grave misconduct in as much as:

CHARGE - I

That as an immediate superior officer he failed to supervise the performance of duties of Sri Soma Surya Venkata Rama Rao working under him as AEE and thus exhibited slack supervision.

FACTS AND EVIDENCE:-

Brief facts are that on 25.05.2015 at about 17.05 hours, Sri VSSV Rama Rao, was trapped by the ACB officials when he further demanded and accepted bribe amount of Rs.25,000/- from Sri N. Subba Raju to record the work executed by him and to give marking for distribution of pipe line work. On the date of trap the G.S. came to the 0/o AEE, RWS & S, Palakollu and produced Measurement Books, Agreements, Working Estimate documents.

Later, the Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Kovvuru Division, Sri N.Sambasiva Rao was examined and on examination he stated that Narasapuram Sub Division is under his jurisdiction, on 04.08.2015 he along with work inspector Inspected the work executed by the contractor, Sri Nadimpalli Subba Raju along with concerned work inspector and observed that 68.06% of work was executed by the contractor and sufficient material was also available at the work place to complete the remaining work. He further stated that the AE as initial officer had to prepare bills, maintain the M.Books properly and is responsible for extension of Agreement time if the work was not completed in time. He also stated that the AE, as an initial officer had to co-ordinate with the contractor from time to time and to pursue contractor to complete the work within stipulated time. He further stated that in this case the concerned Gram Panchayat informed passed resolution vide resolution No.13 dated 31.05.2014 to stop pipe lining work for some time as the Road widening work was in progress and after completion of the road work the Panchayath passed resolution vide resolution No.3 dated 06.06.2015 to complete the pipeline work. As such the contractor/ complainant was not responsible for-the delay and in this regard the AE had to inform to his higher official about the EOAT before the expiry of agreement time. But the AE failed to do- so.

He further stated that the then Dy. Exe. Engineer, RWS&S Narasapuram Sub-Division, Sri Chinta Naga Venkata Krishna Reddy is the immediate Supervisor Officer of AEE and failed to supervise the AEE and not take any action on the lapses of AEE. He also furnished the copies of Enactments, Rules and Regulations duties & responsibilities of Asst. Exe. Engineers/ Section Officers, RWS & S Department, copies of Resolutions of Ilapakurru Gram Panchayath regarding the work and furnished the copy of his detailed

report dated 07.08.2015 and copy of the orders that the AEE was appointed as Full Additional Charge Asst. Exe. Engineer to Elamanchili Mandal.

Thus, the- Government Servant failed to supervise on AE in taking steps to get the EOAT extended. Thus, by his above mentioned Acts exhibited lack of integrity & devotion to duty and thereby contravened the rule 3(1)(2) & (5) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD)

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ANNEXURE III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI CHINTA NAGAI VENKATA 'KRISHNA REDDY S/O RAMIREDDY,_ AGE 53 YEARS, DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION, NARASAPURAM SUB. DIVISION, WEST-GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY WORKING AS DY. EE, RWS & S, TUNI SUB DIVISION EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Copy of F.I.R. Cr.No.08/RCT-EWG/2015 dated 25.05.2015 are proposed to be sustained U/s 7, 13(2) - r/w 13(1) (d) PC Act 1988 of Eluru Range; Eluru.
2. Copy Mediator Report-I drafted at the office of the DSP, ACB, and Eluru Range, Eluru dated.25.05.2015.
3. Copy Mediator Report-II drafted in the room of AO RWS&S, Section Office, RWS&S for Poduru, Elamanchili and Palakollu Mandal situated in the premises of Dy. Executive Engineer, Panchayath Raj office compound, Palakollu on 25.05.2015.
4. Copy of Field Observation Report dated 28.05.2015 drafted in this case at work place of' Ilapakurru Village, Elamanchili Mandal, W.G. District. 2 sheets.
5. Copy of M. Book Movement Register of AEE, Elamanchili Mandal, being maintained from 21.09.2013 to 23.05.2015 and written up to page No.37- containing from1 to 90 pages.
6. Copy of OHSR Measurement Book of this work No.938A/RWS(K)/2012-2013 for recording containing pages from 1 to 100. -
7. Copy of Pipe Line work Measurement Book of this work 1074A/RWS(K)/2013-2014 containing pages from -1 to 100.
8. Copy of Bill Book-Measurement Book containing pages from 1to 100.
9. Copy of bunch of papers of Original Estimate of work containing 22 sheets.
10. Copy of bunch of papers of Agreement of work containing 6 sheets.
11. Copy of bunch of papers of Working Estimate of this work containing 1 to 16 sheets.
12. M Book Movement Register of Dy. Exe. Engineer, RWS&S, Narasapuram Sub-Division containing 1 to 269 Pages.
13. Copy of bunch of papers of Supplemental Agreement No.103A/2013-14 dt.29.03.2014 of work containing 1 to 8 sheets.
14. Copy of Statement of Sri Nadimpalli Subba Raja S/o Sathi Raju, Age 43 years; Ubalanka Village, Ravulapalem Mandal, East Godavari District. containing - 3 Sheets.
15. Copy of Statement of Sri Nemilikanti Sambasiva Rao S/o Ankayya, Age 56 years, Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Kovvuru Division, Kovvuru , W.G. District. Containing- 4 Sheets. .
16. Any other documents may be produced at the time of enquiry.

K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD)

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ANNEXURE – IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI CHINTA NAGA VENKATA KRISHNA REDDY S/o. RAMIREDDY, AGE 53 YEARS, DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION, NARASAPURAM SUB DIVISION, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY WORKING AS DY.EE., RWS &S, TUNI SUBDIVISION, EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Sri Nadimpalli Subba Raju S/o Sathi Raju, Age 43 years, are proposed to be sustained Occ: Contractor, Ubalanka. Village, Ravulapalem Mandal, East Godavari District
2. Sri Adabala: Veera Venkata Satyanarayana S/o Satyanararayana, Age: 32 years, Village Revenue Officer, Ilapakurru Village, Elamanchili Mandal, W.G. District R/o Vaddilanka Village of Elamanchili Mandal, W.G. District.
3. Sri Nemilikanti Sambasiva Rao, S/o. Ankayya, Age 56 years, Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Kovvuru Division, Kovvuru, W.G. District.
4. Sri Paila Kesava Rao S/o Rama Rao, Age: 54 years, Head Master, Z.P. High School, Boorampalem Village, T.Narasapurath Mandal, W.G. District, R/o Door No 9-146, 3rd Road, Sreeeram Nagar, Gavaravaram Eluru, W. G. District.
5. Sri Lankapalli Bhaskara Rao S/o Jojappa Age 42 years, Jr. Asst., O/o District Educational Officer, Eluru, W.G. District R/o. Door No.2-12-9, Nerellaraja Colony, Vangayagudem, Eluru, W.G District.
6. Sri Atluru Venugopala Rao S/o Venkataramayya, Age 56 years, 0cc: Deputy Eexecutive Engineer, 0/o Executive- Engineer, PR Department (PIU) Eluru, W.G.District. r/o 13th Lane, Santhi Nagar, Eluru, W.G.District
7. Sri Thota Ramavenkateswara Prasad S/o Satyanarayana Age 50 years, Occ: Assistant Engineer, 0/o Deputy Executive Engineer, R&B Department, Sub-Division Palakollu, W.G.District r/o. Near Saibaba Temple, Barigaruvari Cheruvu, Aditya Colony, Palakollu, W.G. District.
8. Sri K.Rajendra Rao, Dy.Supdt. of Police, ACB, Eluru Range, Eluru.
9. Sri U.J.Wilson, Inspector of Police, ACB Eluru Range, Eluru.
10. Sri. K.Srinivasu, Inspector of Police, ACB Eluru Range; Eluru.
11. Any other witnesses may be added at the time of enquiry.

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